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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
NASHVILLE DIVISION

KATRINA DAWN COPLEY, : Civil Action No.

Plaintiff, : 3:14-cv-00406

v. :

BAYER HEALTHCARE :

PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., BAYER :

PHARMA AG, and BAYER OY, :

Defendants.

VIDEOTAPED DEPOSITION OF

DAVID B. ROSS, M.D., Ph.D., M.B.I.

Baltimore, Maryland

Friday, April 8, 2016

9:00 a.m.

Reported by: Linda S. Kinkade RDR CRR RMR CSR

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there's information in here that I find useful. 14 A. Among other function	tions, ves.
15 BY MR. SCHMIDT: 15 Q. Yes. And that its j	
Q. Did you know it before you read it in 16 the United States federal g	
Dr. Feigal's article, the information that you 17 the safety and efficacy of	
18 found useful? 18 A. That is its statutory	-
19 MS. HORNER: Object to form. 19 Q. Did you ever have	•
THE WITNESS: I certainly knew it on the 20 on your experience with D	
21 basis of my own experience, but it's always helpful 21 dedication to performing t	•
to have somebody who expresses the same view. 22 MS. HORNER: Ob	
23 BY MR. SCHMIDT: 23 believe he said he doesn't	•
24 Q. Okay. Did you know Dr. Feigal at the 24 MR. SCHMIDT: P.	
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1 FDA? 1 THE WITNESS: I I	can't I can't
2 A. Yes. 2 recall any specific issues. Ag	gain, this was a long
3 Q. And did you know him personally? 3 time ago.	
4 A. Yes. 4 BY MR. SCHMIDT:	
5 Q. Did you know him to be dedicated at the 5 Q. Have you come across	s him since other
6 FDA to patient safety from your experience with 6 than in this case?	
7 him? 7 A. There's a previous case	e in which we were
8 A. I'm it was almost 20 years ago, so 8 retained by counsel for different	ent sides on a case.
9 bear with me. The only to be honest with you, 9 Q. I've marked as Exhibit	t what was that
the only and, again, this is 20 years ago. I 10 case?	
had started there in '96. He was the office 11 A. That was Wendell vers	sus
12 director at the microbial office. 12 Johnson & Johnson, Teva Pha	armaceuticals and Abbott,
The only conversation I remember being part 13 I believe.	
of with him is one in which he pointed out that the 14 Q. What was the product	or the drug
manufacturer of thalidomide, which is a drug, as we 15 involved in that case?	
all know, that's associated with severe birth 16 A. Well, there were multi	iple products.
17 defects, had never admitted that the drug caused 17 There was Remicade, Humira	
birth defects despite overwhelming evidence. I 18 Q. Were you testifying or	= =
19 will say that in 2012 the successor company, which 19 plaintiffs or defendants?	
20 I believe was Grunenthal, did finally admit that 20 A. Plaintiffs.	
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22 Q. Let me I don't want to take us on a 22 behalf of plaintiffs, either by	
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3	3 I, LINDA S. KINKADE, Registered Diplomate
4 5 PAGE LINE CHANGE	4 Reporter, Certified Realtime Reporter, Registered
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7 REASON:	6 Notary Public, do hereby certify that prior to the
8	7 commencement of examination the deponent herein was 8 duly sworn by me to testify truthfully under
9 REASON:	9 penalty of perjury.
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13 REASON:	13 ability.
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15 REASON.	15 for nor related to nor employed by any of the
16 REASON:	parties to this case and have no interest,
17	financial or otherwise, in its outcome.
18 REASON:	18 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my
19	hand and affixed my notarial seal this 11th day of
20 REASON:	20 April 2016. 21 My commission expires: July 31, 2017
21	21 My commission expires: July 31, 2017
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24 REASON:	24 THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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DAVID B. ROSS, M.D., PH.D., MBI DATE	
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17 Subscribed and sworn	
18 to before me this 19 day of, 20	
20 My commission expires:	
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22	
Notary Public	
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